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## NATIONAL BOER ORDER.

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Sympathizers in America Are Or-

ganizing. Detroit, Mich., May 7.-Sybrant Wessellus of Grand Rapids, ex-State Railroad Commissioner, who is engaged in endeavoring to amalgamate societies of Boer sympathizers into a national organization, returned to Detroit to-day from New York.

Said Mr. Wesselius: "I have no doubt that a national society of Boer sympathizers will be formed with-in six weeks. The new York friends of the Boers are heartily in favor of the national

Mr. Wesselius is directing the formation of a committee of 160 Detroiters to represent this city in the proposed league,

## ACCUSE STEAD OF TREASON.

London Papers Urge the Arrest of the Editor. SPECIAL BY CABLE.

London, May 7.—(Copyright, 1999, by W. London, May T.—Copyright, 1996, by W. R. Hearst.)—Some of the Conservative papers to-day appeal to the Government to arrest William T. Stead. They want him tried for treasonous correspondence with the Boer emissaries, Editor Stead as a correspondent met the Boer delegates at Boulogne, and in letters gave, in a full and fair manner, the Boers "sate of the controversy, and their plans and hopes in going to the United States to appeal to the American people to use their influence for peace."

## RICH TURK IN TROUBLE.

Alexasa Massad Annoved Women at a New York Hotel. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, May 7.-Alexava Massad, sald to be the son of a high official in the Turkish Government, who is supposed to give him 500 a week for pocket money, created a disturbance at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel this evening and was locked up at the West Thirtieth Street Station. He is attached officially to the Turkish Consulate, at No. If State street, as an interpreter.

Massad, who is tall, fine looking and
dresses well, har been at the Watdorf a
good deal lately. Several women have com-

plained that he has annoyed them. Schuyler West, a private detective, employed by the notel, was ordered to-night to keep an eye on Massad. West discovered him in the Turkish room and saw him try to speak to several women. Seeing that he was being watched, Massad went up to West and de-

watched, Massad went up to West and Ge-manded to know the reason.

West reported to Manager Boldt that the Turk had used abusive language to him and received orders to put Massad out of the house. He followed the Turkish linguist to the lobby, intending to advise him to loave the place quietly and never come back. The Turk turned on West and pulled off the latter's white necktic. Then there was a scuffle from one and of the lobby to the other, which was witnessed by a large number of fashionably dressed men and women. Several porters went to the detec-tive's assistance and overpowered the angry Turk.

## INSANE FARMER'S DEED.

Thought His Mother a Witch and Killed Her.

Reading, Pa., May 7.—Because he could not find a black kitten with three waite feet, which he was to skin clive, pavid Clay, a superstitions farmer, to-day nardered his cenerable mother, believing her to be a with the control of the control of the country of th

be a witch.

Clay is about 42 years old. His mother was 85. He had accused her several times of "laying things on bun"—that is to say, hypnotizing him, and causing him to perform actions against his win. A few maying he had a vivid dream, in which a headless angel appeared to him and prophezied that his mother was to die. He became convinced that his mother was to die. He became convinced that his mother was to die he went to the nut of a famous "hex" doctor in the Welsh Mountains to seek advice.

He was instructed to search day and night until he found a black kitten with three white paws, and that the kitten must be one of a litter of seven. The next act was to skin the kitten alive, boil the three white paws in a pail of blood and use part of the dried residue as a consiment in the fixed of the persons suspected of "hexing" him.

Clay hunted faithfully for days, but he

him.

Clay hunted faithfully for days, but he could not find a black kitten with three white paws. The failure caused him to worry, and he imagined that he was about to be driven to eating raw oats. He got a hastmer, and, creeping up benind his mother, struck her on the head. She died in a few minutes,

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Meade Center, Kans.

My Dean Bro.: Your favor with the enclosed slip is at hand. The facts are these: My wife was an invalid for several years and on our physician's recommendation, used a certain preparation with very great benefit. I am a Presbyterian clergyanan a Dector of Divinity, not of Medicine, but I am not afraid to say that Duffy's Formula and Duffy's Pure Mait Whiskey are the purest and most effective preparations as medicines I know of, and my experience is a large one. I am a temperance man, and never used, and would never advise my man or woman to use, my intoxicant as a beverage. My recommendation of Duffy's Formula and Whiskey was made after a thorough knowledge of their great value as medicines. The statement was made deliberately and based upon facts, and I do not hesitate to stand by it. The many temperance men who have written me on this subject do not seem to realize that I was a temperance man before many of them were born.

Sincerely yours, B. MILLS, D. D.

DEFIT MALT WHISKEY CO., Rechester, N. Y.

# BRITISH ADVANCE IS UNCHECKED. "THE SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST"

Winburg and Smaldeel, Important Strategic Points, Taken and the Boers Still Retreating.

Lord Roberts Personally Directing the Operations.

VET RIVER BATTLE.

Burghers Overwhelmed There - General Trek Ensues.

BY MILTON V. SNYDER. SPECIAL BY CABLE.

London, Tuesday, May \$ .- (Copyright, 1990 by New York Herald Company.)-Two more mportant points have been captured in the

From press correspondents word come onfirming the reported seizure by General Roberts himself reports the equally important strategic success of the taking of Smaldeel, or Winburg Road Station, which is the junction point of the main line from Bloemfontein to Fretoria and the branch running southeast to Winburg Vet River Fight.

brisk fight for the Vet River. From Brandfort to the Vet is a distance of minetoen miles. General Pole-Carew started with his division at daybreak to march to the river. He arrived at Eensgeronden, the first station south of the Vet, about midday and

here he hulted. The West Australians who covered the advance column, discovered at 1 e clock the Boers in the river bed, being fired on by the burghers at a distance of 30 yards. The artillery, comprising the Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth batteries, pushed forward, escorted by General Stephenson's brigade. These batteries caused the guns in the main

Eighty-fourth Battery moved away to engage them, leaving the other battery to answer the guns in the Boer center. Two naval 12-pounders, two 2.4-inch and two 5- ing. inch guns coming successively into action, soon altered the aspect of affairs, two Beer guns being temperarily affenced.

## Boers Outflanked.

General Hution, who was well to the west with the Canadians, Australians, New Zealanders and British mounted infantry, attacked the Boers at the Drift, by which they intended to cross. The Boers, who were led in this portion of the field by Lucas Meyer, second in command of the federa troops, had the advantage in number of | brick. machine guns, but the mounted Britishers managed to drive their antagonists out of the river bed, cross the river and take up a position, which outflanked their right. General Hutton during the night sent two squadrons to blow up the railway near Smaldeel, in the hope that by doing this he ould capture some rolling stock, but the ast train northward had left the junction Saturday evening.

Fourteen Streams Evnenuted

From the southeast and west comes news showing that the surging forward of the main body of the British Army is pushing back the Boers on both sides. Fourteen Streams, where for six weeks

the Boers have fired across the Vaul River at the British forces near Warrenton, has been evacuated. The Rritish there, under Colonel Paget, have been joined by General Hunter and have crussed the river. The Thaba N'Chu force of the enemy have left the strong position which they confronting General Rundle, and the British troops have taken possession of it. Like a broad arrow the British advance is now plercing the Boers' positions in the Free State, From the Winburg hills the left is extended toward Boshof and Warrenton, while on the right it runs southeast to north of Thaba N'Chu and Wepener.

What Roberts's next strategical move will be it is difficult to guess. The temptation to ry to keep the Boers on the run must he a great one, but it is thought most probable here that the Field Marshal will now bring up his wings and endeavor to clear the country from Bloemfontein to Harrismith.

## STRATEGIC ADVANCE.

Smaldeel, Sunday, May 6.—The movement that culminated in the capture of Winburg and Smalded was part of a great general movement, extending from General Hunter on the west to General Rundle on the east. General Roberts's admirable strategy resulted in placing five British to confront one Roer at every point. Out of what appeared to be inextricable confusion of divisions and brigades, order was quickly evolved and the Boers were compelled to meet Lord Roberts under unfavorable con-

What is more important is that the Dete ish are now able to wait. Their front and central positions are safe in the knowledge that their flanking columns will advance

and outflank the Boers. Yeslerday the Boers held a strong position, from which, earlier in the campaign, they could only have been forced after hard fighting. General Hamilton's arrival at Winburg, although not directly outflanking the Boers, made their posiion extremely uncomfortable. General Hutton's movement on the west was even more successful than at first imagined.

Perty Boers were killed. The march to-day was short, but General Pole-Carew's division marched fifty-

eight riles in four days. General Tucker's division is marching on our left to-day and General Maxwell's brigade will be able to cross the river before

night. Lord Roberts has been very strict in his examination of the farms, with the result of disclosing the fact that nearly every house is a miniature arsenal, Mausers, Martinis and abundant ammunition being found. If these had not been discovered, the army would be leaving in its rear the material in arms and men for a dangerous move by the inhabitants.

All along, the railroad culverts, where of any size, have been destroyed, but the engineers hope to make a detour in some cases and in others they will fill up the gaps, Three of four spans of the Vet River Bridge have been utterly destroyed, and it will be necessary to make a temporary line down the river bed, as at the Modder. Reports have been heard this afternoon



are being destroyed northward

ROBERTS'S DISPATCHES. London, May 7.-Lond Roberts reports to

dell. May 6, as follows: and are now camped at Smalded Junction. The enemy is in full retreat toward Zand.

mounted infantry just before dark yesterday. It was a very dashing affair. The clathe enemy, Captain Anley of the Essex. Battallen, behaved in a very gallant man-

excellent practice, perticularly two five-inch ! Other pieces of the enomy's artillery excellent practice, perfecularly two five-inch. Lord Reberts and Lord Ritchener personname into action on the British right. The guins, used for the first time with this force. We captured a Maxim and twenty-five pris- | engagement. eners. Our casualties are very few, only fifteen wounded, one killed and three miss- tograph to Colonel Kekewich, the here of

> The War Office also has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, eight troops are new at sea on the way dated Smalldrel, May 7, 1955 a. m.:

"General Hunter, after defeating the enemy May 4, joined hands with Paget near the losses of regiments at the front. Warrenton. The enemy left thirteen killed and wounded on the ground and we captured several prisoners. Our losses were

lastry of the yeemanry, under Colonel May- | that he has appealed for permission to re-

"The enemy have retired from the front | Colonel Plumer." of Thuba N'Chu., and the exceedingly strong position they held is now occupied Rundle's division

A special dispatch from Smaldeel (Winburg Road Station), dated 5:45 p. m. Sunday May 6, gives details of the occupation of Winburg by the British. It says:

"News has just come here that General that they are falling back hurriedly. He entered Winburg to-day after a brisk fight, s which the Boers fell buck so quickly that one of their guns, in addition to a Maxim.

was abundoned," The same disputch, describing the crossing of the Vet River by the British, says:

"The Hoer forces intreached on the oppodie bank prepared to contest the crossing. Our guns were brought into play and a terride shell fire was directed on the Boer lines. At the same time the Queenslanders. under a heavy fire, dashed across the river, and, advancing in the open, completely turned the Roer right. It was dusk, but nothing could stop the gallant Australians. They pushed on again, seized a commanding kopje and, by brilliant movements and continuous rifle fire drove off the enemy is the darkness. The first gleam of dawn this morning found the enemy in full flight | privileged guests, who warmly applauded and our men after them, and by 9 o'clock | the defenders of Ladysmith. this morning we entered this important strategic point."

A dispatch from Warrenton, Cape Colony, May 7, says that the Boers have been driven out of Fourteen Streams and that the British are now encamped on the north bank of the Vant River. MAFERING DEFIANT.

## SPECIAL BY CABLE.

London. May 8.-(Copyright, 1909, by the New York Herald Company.)-The special correspondent of the Dally Mail, Lady Sarah Wilson, sends this dispatch:

"Matcking, April El, by runner to Ootsi, April 24.-We are still waiting and hoping on. The lack of prospect of relief depresses the garrison, but their dogged determination to deprive the Boers of a crowning triumph on the Western border is only increased.

"A case of whisky raffled for yesterday ferched \$168. One pound of flour, sold by auction, was knocked down for 2 suineas."

#### PROT THE BOER SIDE. BY THOMAS F. MILLARD.

SPECIAL BY CARLE. Smaldeel, Saturday, May 5 .- (Copyright, 300, by the New York Herald Company.)-The British have occupled Winburg, Lord Roberts's force extends along for eighteen

The British advanced from Tafelkon Thursday in two strong columns. Delarcy repulsed one force, but was outflanked and empelled to retire. After the British occupied Brandfort, the Boers retired to positions further north.

Another attempted British advance on

### Fourteen Streams was repulsed ZAND RIVER BRIDGE DOWN.

Smallded, May 7.—The British arrived here without opposition, The Boers' last train left late Saturday night. The Boet osses yesterday on the west flank were forty killed. Their rear guard remains behind kopies, ten miles distant. There is | West: much railway forage and corn here. It is stated that the Boers are retreating toward Kroenstud, The Zand River bridge is re-

#### ported to have been destroyed. NEXT STAND AT KROONSTAD.

London, May 8, 4:20 a. m.-The Boers are everywhere retiring before the British, except on the Natal frontier and at Mafeking to the inner circle of their defenses. They appear determined not to fight again until the Kroenstad bills are reached,

Lord Roberts is expected to do another forty or fifty miles, and then to wait for a time, in order to bring up supplies and St. Joseph-J. J. Donovan, Cadillac, P. Brice was educated to repair the railway. There are one or Nevin, Sinclair; W. Groneweg, Barthold. a time, in order to bring up supplies and

THE MARCH TOWARD PRETORIA. Roberts is advancing by rushes, and thus far the Boers have been unable to stem the tide of his advance. The Vet has been crossed and Winburg taken, and the British are now pressing on Kroonstad, where the Boers are expect ed to make a stand.

two hints in the dispatches from the front that he may rest for a few days at Smal-

General French's 16,000 envalve have no been mentioned in the official or unofficial dispatches for four days. It is by no means likely that he is lifle, and the conjecture i that he is either detouring toward Kroon stad or raiding the Ladybrand district, Fifteen thousand British are now operat-

ng on the western frontier of the Fre-State, As the dendlock at Warrenton has the War Office in a dispatch dated Smal- been broken and the Boers are retreating there is nothing formidable, except the du "We crossed the Vet Blyer this morning | tance bectween Warrenton and Mafeking dated April 22, were that the garrison would be barely able to hold out for a mont!

According to advices from Maseru, Basutoland, several thousand Free Staters as north of Ludybrand, where they have coland Mounted infantry, vied with each instead great herds. The district is rich in other in the determination to close with fixed for men and hereis, and the Riccia seem resolved not to move northward, but Regiment, commanding the Third Infantry | to be preparing to resist where they are If they are let alone they will menace th line of communications after the main Brit-"The naval guns and the artiflery made ish Army has passed into the Transvast. Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener person

Queen Victoria will send a signed pho-

Six thousand, four hundred and fiftyto South Africa. No others are under or ders to go, except as recruits to fill up

SNYMAN ALARMED. London, May 8.-The Lorenzo Marquer correspondent of the Times says:

"Commandant Sayman is so alarmed at the prospect of having his retreat cut of ire northward from Marcking to intercept

## NAVAL BRIGADE HONORED.

British Royalty and People Unite in a Demonstration.

London, May 7.- The annals of service demonstrations probably show nothing to parallel the enthusiasm with which the naval perces of Ladysmith, the officers and crew of the British first-class cruiser Powerful, were greeted in London to-day. The scenes in the streets were remarkable and inspiring. The flags of all nations, banners and

mottees formed an almost continuous canopy for Captain Lambton and the contingent of the Powerful to pass under.

There was one continuous roar of greeting, accompanied by the waving of handkerchifes, flacs and hats as the naval brigade, with the khakl-colored guns, marched from the depot to the Herse Guards Parade, where the Prince of Wales, in the uniform of an Admiral of the fleet, accompanied by the First Lord of the Admiralty George J. Goshen, and a number of high naval and military officers, inspected the bluejackets, surrounded by thousands of

The Prince of Wales introduced Captain Lambton to the Princess of Wales, and the brigade was afterwards entertained at luncheon, preparatory to marching through the city.

The march of the brigade from the Admiralty to the mansion-house was marked by more numerous crowds than London has seen for many a day, Captain Lambton, riding, wearing a cooked hat and looking brown and bored, followed 100 mounted po-Heemen, who had to prepare the route, and the band of the Coldstream Guards, Be-hind Captain Lambton was a band of masic, after which came the binejackets Amid thunderous cheers and the waving of flags they entered the Royal Exchange and sat down to tea. This finished, they marched back to the station, and returned to Portsmouth this evening, after receivof the greatest evations ever to lered by the people of London to the Brit-

## SANTIAGO EDITOR SHOT.

Unknown Assissin Takes Senor Alberti's Life.

Gibara, Province of Santiago de Cuba, May 7.-Senor Alberti, editor of the Don Claridades, was shot and instantly killed by an unknown assassin at the theater last Alberti was an active politician, and his

paper recently has been criticising the action of the American officials, particularly the election orders. Hidalgo, who killed Captain Smith, Collector of this port, in January, was editor of the Don Claridades. Alberti had received threatening letters, which he ridi-

## culed in his paper.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New York, May 7.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following visitors from the include the following visitors from the West:

St. Louis—F. N. Johnson, W. Tolstadt, J. G. Butter, A. Clifford, J. H. pikins, H. A. Blossom, T. P. Halsey, G. P. Dana, F. G. F. Steedman, J. Manchester, Waldorf, D. H. Hays, Mrs. E. Sennsenthaler, Miss Sennsenthaler, Miss Sennsenthaler, J. G. Miller, C. E. Irwin, Holland, G. S. Johnston, M. Schulz, Imperial, T. M. Murphy, F. M. Wohl, Hoffman, J. H. Drahille, A. R. Deacen, H. S. Resvis, St. Penis, G. W. Baruhart, M. P. Johnson, Mariborough, Mrs. G. W. Allen, Albermarie, W. R. Smitten, New Amsterdam; L. Hirschl, Murray Hill, J. Rothschild, Vendome; C. A. Lilly, Astor, S. S. Ford, Continental. Continental, Kansas City-F, Vickers, Broadway Cen-ral; C. B. Leavi, Astor; E. G. Egberg, Continental.

READ WHAT A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN SAYS WHO CURES AND WHO HAS PRESCRIBED MORE THAN 500,000 RED CIRCLE PILLS.

> OFFICE OF THE CITY PHYSICIAN, DAVID KELLER M. D. Lexington, Ky., January 1, 1898.

The American Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Gentlemen-During the years 1896 and 1897 I was City Physician to Lexington, Ky., a city of thirty thousand inhabitants. In this capacity I administered to the ailments of the pauper population. My death rate among eight thousand six hundred cases treated during the two years of my incumbency of office was 7 1-10 to the one thousand. The death rate of the entire city was 24 to the one thousand -more than three times as great as the death rate among the purpers

During the two years I prescribed to the paupers more than TWENTY THOU-SAND RED CIRCLE PILLS. These facts go to make up an object lesson which the records of the City of Lexington will, prove, and I believe it will serve you better than any testimonial that I might write. I will add, however, that in my hands the Red Circle Pill has prevented and cured more diseases than any remedy or combination of remedies of which I have any knowledge. It effects a cure by its direct action upon the liver and indirectly by its action upon all the other organs of the body. It were an endless task to enumerate the bodily ills that it will relieve or greatly benefit. Among them I may mention the following; Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Functional Derangements of the Heart, of which Palpitation is the chief symptom, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, the ailments peculiar to women, such as painful, insufficient or excessive Menstruation, Constipation, Billiousness, Chronic Headache, and Indeed all sub-acute and chronic atiments arising from deranged or torpid Ever. Yours very truly

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## American Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

John Francis Brice Announces That He Was Married a

"The Rounders" Company -He Is a Son of the Late

Cambridge, Mass., May 7.-Harvard socie ty circles received a tremendous shock to day when news reached Cambridge that John Francis Brice of last year's senio class had announced his marriage to Miss Florence Lucille Ricketts. It took some litthe time for it to get around that Miss Flor ence Lucille Ricketts was none other than Florence Lavergne, who but a few weeks ago had been with Don Daly's company it "The Rounders," at the Columbia Theater,

That John Brice should marry, and marry a chorus girl, was too much for his friends. They could not realize it. He was known as a clore-mouthed fellow, but nobody thought that he would be able to keep his love a secret from his most intimate friends and Sorsogon are reported to be also spring his marriage on them as a surprise. In fact, when the little cards

themselves. It was the last thing they thought Brice would do. He was not, while at college, one of the gay young chaps who went

her John. Many mothers before have e plans and found them shattered when least expected it matever Mrs. Brice thought, she certain-ceided to make the best of the matter, young couple were received with open and their joy was complete. They will the present live in New York with the m's mether.

Miss Ricketts's Attractions.

and Miss Ricketts promised to become his wife April 24.

When that day arrived the young woman was with her company at Wilmington, Dei, It is raid that she told the manager the evening of April 23 that she was to be married the following afternoon, and erichized him to secree. The ceremony was performed the next day by a Wilmington minister, and the young actress appeared on the stage that evening just as though nothing unusual had occurred.

For some time the secret was kent, and For some time the secret was kept, and then it leaked out. Hence the forms! an-nouncement of to-day that Mr. and Mrs. Brice will be "at home" in New York after

Mrs. Brice's parents live at No. 1627 Cor necticut avenue, in the fashionable section of Washington. Her father, Wm. Ricketts, is employed in one of the departments. Mrs. Brice was educated at the Georgetown Convent, and first made her appearance

# OFFICE OF CITY CLERK,

P. J. GARLAND, Clerk, Lexington, Ky., January 1, 1898.

During the years 1596 and 1897, Dr. David Keller was physician to the City of Lexington. The records in my office show that during these two years Dr. Keller treated 8600 pauper patients, the number of deaths being Sixty-Two, or 7-10ths of one per cent. During these two years I issued for the entire city Twelve Hundred and Forty-Nine burial permits out of the total population of about thirty thousand, or Two and Four-Tenths per cent.

City Clerk.

## MILLIONAIRE WEDS **AGUINALDO NOW** A CHORUS GIRL.

Fortnight Ago.

His Bride Is Florence Lavergne of Calvin S. Brice.

and then spring his marriage on inch as a disturbed.

Two insurgent attacks on the American garrisons in the Visiyan Islands recently thought it must be a hoax of some kind that was being played on Mr. Erice or on

Kept His Love Secret.

Nobody suspected that Johnny Brice was in love, and for a time Brice did not suspect himself. He finally met Miss Lavergue through a mutual friend, and then the love deceloped quickly. Young Brice was missed from his place at the law school and was apparently neglecting his work in simmeful rashlon. "The Rounders" left Beston, and soon Brice was missed by his friends whenever they happened to want him, and at his rooth they were told that he had gone to New York. He always reappeared with a plausible story for his triends, and not even the mast suspectous that the fellow was in love.

Then came the easier vacation, when all Harvara men get a week off 190m their cork. Brice Journeyed to Philadelphis, there he persuided his lave that he could set live without her, and the result is now nown. Everything was imprimess for the sung people if only Mrs. Brice would consent. They traveled back to New York, and young Brice brought his bride to his one. Mrs. Brice brought his bride to his come. Mrs. Brice was prepared for the cent. She might have made a fuss about and possibly she had made other planar her John. Many mothers before have ade plans and found them shattered when y least expected it.

Whatever Mrs. Brice thought, she certaindeded to make the East.

the stage. She is medium-eiged, branelie, with a wealth of dark hair, which is always turned back in a point adout. She is patte in figure, with a striking carriage. Her face is eval-shaped, with a delicate chin, a slightly tilted none and dark, flashing eyes. She was known everywhere for her beauty, even before the present acceptame out.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Washington, May 7.—Sectory in Washington. was startled to-day by the amounto-nt that John Francis Brice, son of the Senator from Ohio, has married a cha-girl. Every society tongue was war-g this afternoon, and the result of all the talk is that a very pretty little from has been brought to the surface. Mr Eric bride is a very pretty girl, but this ta was not discovered by many of her a writtneder.

companies in which she played from city tity, all the while pressing his suit. Several weeks ago the question was conwered and Miss Ricketts promised to become basife Auril 24.

General Young Believes Insurgent Troops.

## THEN A LAW SCHOOL STUDENT. ASKS FOR RE-ENFORCEMENTS.

Operations in the Visayan Islands Result in Death of 280 Filipinos-Two Americans. Wounded.

Manila, May 7.-Telegrams received here

from General Young report that Aguinaldo the north, and that they have reassembled a considerable force in the mountains. Genthe rains, and asks for re-enforcements.

The tenor of the dispatches indicates that General Young is confident that Aguinaldo is with Tino, and, it is presumed, they are danning to resume lighting during the rains. Company F of the Forty-seventh Regi-ment met and routed a band of the enemy between Legaspi and Riago, Province of

Albay, on April 13.

it was not till they got to comparing that . At daybreak, May 1, 400 insurgents, 100 it leaked out that it was after all true. of them armed with rifles, attacked Catarman, in Northern Saonar, in the vicinity of Catubig. Company F of the Forty-third Regiment was garrisoning the place. The enemy builth trenches on the outskirts of the town during the night and fired volleys persistently into it, until the Americans charging the trenches, scattered the Fill-pines and killed 155 of them. Two Americans were wounded. This attack was precipitated by the enemy's recent successful fight at Catubig. The garrison of Catarman has been removed to the seaport of Laguan A force of Filipinos, estimated to num-ber 20 men, armed with rifles and bolos, and operating four muzzle-loading cannon, attacked Jero, on Leyte Island, on April 15, which place was garrisoned by twentyfive men of Company B of the Forty-third Regiment, Lieutenant Estes, commanding Estes left fifteen men to protect the town, and with the remaining ten men he ad-

vanced on the enemy in two squads, shel-tered by the ridges south of the town, whence they stood off the Filipinos for three police force sallied out to help Estes's Americans. The latter, with the police, charged the enemy, and, together, they dispersed the Filipinos, and, after the fight was over, buried 125 of them. There were no

## CANNOT GET RECRUITS. War Department Redoubles Ef

orts to Fill Vacancies.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, May 7.-There is need of additional men in the Philippines, and it will be necessary to open additional recruiting offices and increase the facilities twofold for getting enlisted men. The number of men required to replace soldiers discharged from service with the force under Gen-eral MacArthur is fully 100 per week. There are 3,500 vacancies in the enlisted force the number is dally increasing, with scant prospect that the present rate of collistments will ever supply the deficiency.

It is proposed to establish new recruiting offices at points throughout the country

It is proposed to establish new recruiting offices at points throughout the country where men are likely to be secured.

The ensetment of the artiliery feature of the srmy reorganization bill will also make it necessary to provide a means for furnishing commissioned officers. The graduates of the Military Academy will not begin to supply the needed officers. This year there will be nearly 100 vacanetes in the lowest grade after this year's graduates from West Point are commissioned. There will not be more than twenty-five or thirty noncommissioned officers of the regulars who will succeed in their examinations for commissions and the War Department is not intelligent to put civilians in army places to the extent of filling the numerous vacancies at the foot of the list in the three arms.

The provision of the pending army bill for 100 additional cadets will meet the necessity in a measure, but with the proposed increase in the artillery there will still remain many places available for the

P. J. GARLAND.

# IN NORTH LUZON. NEW YORK

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